

STATE of NEBRASKA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

LINCOLN

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 19-10

EMERGENCY RELIEF DUE TO PROPANE SHORTAGES

WHEREAS, the State of Iowa has declared a disaster emergency due to Iow supplies of propane which both impacts harvest and residential heating; and

WHEREAS, commercial motor vehicles and motor carriers are engaged in the business of transporting propane from further distances in order to meet needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mike Foley, Acting Governor of the State of Nebraska, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and the emergency management laws of the State of Nebraska, hereby direct and order as follows:

Pursuant to this declaration, I hereby order the following:

- 1. The weight hauling requirements under state law are hereby suspended through the duration of the motor carrier's assistance in the disaster relief effort for all loads transported on all highways within Nebraska, excluding the interstate system, and those which do not exceed a maximum of 90,000 pounds gross weight;
- 2. No motor carrier operating under the terms of this emergency declaration shall require or allow an ill or fatigued driver to operate a motor vehicle. A driver who notifies a motor carrier that he or she needs immediate rest shall be given a least ten (10) consecutive hours off-duty before the driver is required to return to service.
- Drivers operating under this proclamation shall carry a copy of the proclamation with them as evidence of their direct support to the State of Nebraska during this emergency period.
- This emergency relief is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until December 15, 2019 at 11:59 pm.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska to be affixed on this 21st day of November 2019.

Mike Foley, Acting Governo

State of Nebraska

Robert Evnen, Secretary of State

State of Nebraska

Attest:

